

THE PHANTOM'S EYE

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WELCOME MAJ GEN WELLMAN

Maj. Gen. Billy G. Wellman, Adjutant General of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, is on-base today for the formal dedication of the new Operations Building. Maj. Gen. Richard L. Frymire, Special Assistant to the Commander of Tactical Air Command, is also here, as well as Brig. Gen. Fred F. Bradley, 123d TRW Commander.

The Operations Building, south of the aircraft parking ramp, now houses the Wing Command Post, Base Operations, the 165th Weather Flight and the 165th Squadron (including the Intelligence Section, Life Support Shop and Photo Processing).

The one-story masonry and brick structure encloses 17,800 square feet of space and cost \$1,078,386.33.



B/G CROSS ASST AG FOR AIR



Fred W. Cross, former 123d TRW Deputy Commander for Logistics, has been appointed Assistant Adjutant General for Air by Gov. Julian M. Carroll as recommended by the Adjutant General. The appointement, which was effective Nov. I, brought with it the rank of brigadier general.

Brig. Gen. Cross is credited with over 29 years of military service, having served during both the Korean War and the Viet Nam Era (Pueblo call-up). He earned the Air Force Commendation Medal during the period 26 Jan 68 to 9 Jun 69, and was identified by Headquarters of Tactical Air Command as "an outstanding procurement officer".

In a full-time capacity he is the Contract Officer of the Naval Ordnance Station.

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TWO 165TH PILOTS IN COMMAND POST

Two l65th Tactical Reconnaissance squadron pilots, Lt. James L. Bowlds, and Lt. Terry P. Fisher, are performing federal active duty in the TAC Command Fost of exercise Gallant Eagle '78. The Command Post is directing 274 aircraft and 7,500 Air Force men and women.

The U.S. Readiness Command's exercise Gallant Eagle is testing joint Army, Navy, Air Force and Marine operations in a simulated combat situation. Approximately 25,000 military personnel are involved. The exercise is taking place in the Southeastern United States with headquarters at Eglin AFB, FLA., Oct. 17 through Nov. 16.

CHAPEL TIME: 0900 - 0930

The time frame on Sunday 0900-0930 is specifically blocked for chapel attendance. Catholic and Protestant meeting places have been relocated in the hangar building. Mass is now celebrated in the former pilot's briefing room and Protestant services are held in the former flight planning room. There is adequate space and everyone is welcome.

TONIGHT IS THE NIGHT! ANNUAL DINING IN VI

The Adjutant General's Annual Officer's Open Mess in which ANG officers have an opportunity to meet their Army Guard counterparts is scheduled beginning 1800 hours at the Ramada Inn on Hurstbourne Lane. Uniform will be black winter mess dress.

Honored guest and speaker will be Maj. Gen. William J. McCaddin, the Adjutant General, TAG Virginia and newly elected President of the National Cuard Association of the U.S. Lt. Col. Jack M. Crowner is President of the Mess. Representing the ANG will be Major Richard C. Gould as Senior Mr. Vice and Capt. John Oswald as Junior Mr. Vice.

